1	The Honorable Ricardo S. Martinez
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4	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
5	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ) No. CR20-157 RSM
6	Plaintiff, )
7	ORDER RE: VIDEO PLEA
8	vs. ) HEARING ) MULUGETA ASFAW, )
9	Defendant.
10	Defendant.
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13	THE COURT has considered the Stipulated Motion to Proceed With Guilty
14	Plea by Video Hearing, along with the relevant records and files herein, as well as the
15	relevant General Orders currently in effect.
16	THE COURT FINDS that the circumstances are as set forth in the parties'
17	motion, and that a video guilty plea hearing may take place as soon as practical because
18 19	further delays in this case would risk "serious harm to the interests of justice." See
20	General Order No. 04-20 (3/30/20). Accordingly,
21	THE COURT ORDERS that the parties may proceed with a guilty plea by
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23	video hearing, consistent with current procedures established by this Court, and directs
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1 the parties to consult with one another and the Court to schedule such a hearing at a 2 mutually acceptable date and time. 3 4 DONE this 27<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020. 5 6 7 8 9 RICARDO S. MARTINEZ CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT 10 JUDGE 11 12 13 14 Presented By: 15 s/Eric Lindell /S/ Hillary Stuart 16 Attorney for Defendant Asfaw Assistant United States Attorney 17 P.O. Box 379 [Agreed to by stipulation, notice of presentation waived, signature Redmond, WA. 98073 18 approved via email] EricLindell@Icloud.com 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 ORDER RE: VIDEO PLEA HEARING - 2 LINDELL LAW OFFICES, PLLC P.O. BOX 379 26 REDMOND, WA 98073 206-230-4922/

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